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PATENT  
Case No.: **SJO920040005US1**  
(9400/8)

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of :

MICHAEL J. AZEVEDO, ET AL.

Serial No.: 10/813,519

Filed: MARCH 30, 2004

Title: METHOD FOR AVOIDING ALIASED  
TOKENS DURING ABNORMAL  
COMMUNICATIONS

Examiner: SONG JASMINE

Group Art Unit: 2188

Conf. No.: 6140

**Petition Under 37 CFR 1.137(c)  
To Withdraw Holding of Abandonment**

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Dear Sir:

Although no holding of abandonment has yet issued, Applicant unintentionally failed to pay the issue fee in a timely fashion.

The entire delay in filing the issue fee payment until the filing of this grantable petition was unintentional.

Thus, Applicant respectfully petitions that the holding of Abandonment be withdrawn in the instant application and that this case proceed to issue.

If necessary, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the Petition fee to Deposit Account No. 09-0466. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Dated: September 27, 2006

Respectfully submitted,

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